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For: CHIRAL COPPER COMPLEX AND PRODUCTION
PROCESSES THEREOF AND USING THE SAME

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

The following preliminary amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

The paragraph beginning on page 3, line 19 through page 4, line 35 has been amended as follows:

5. a method for producing an optically active cyclopropane-carboxylic acid ester of formula (4):